

# **PUBLIC SAFETY MONTHLY REPORT 11/18/14-12/15/14**



## **Mission Statement:**

**The Rutherford County Emergency Management Agency is charged with the overall responsibility of coordinating the county's preparedness for and response to disasters. Geographically, its authority extends to the entire county as defined by state law TCA 58-2-110.**

**The mission of the Emergency Management Agency is to develop a comprehensive emergency management program that seeks to: mitigate the effects of various hazards, to prepare for measures which will preserve life and minimize damage, to respond during emergencies, to provide assistance, and to establish a recovery system to return the community to a normal status after an event. This agency combines the local resources of Rutherford County, the City of Murfreesboro, the Town of Smyrna, and the City of LaVergne; along with State and Federal resources to mitigate, prepare for, respond to, and recover from the effects all types of emergencies including natural or man-made disasters, technological accidents, national security threats, and other disrupting incidents that may impact our area or the general populations.**



## Emergency Management Agency

### Emergency Management Activity Report November 18, 2014-December 15, 2014

#### Mitigation:

#### Preparedness:

Date	Description
11/18/2014	Staff participated in a conference call with a vendor regarding communications at the Rutherford County EOC.
11/19/2014- 11/20/2014	Staff attended a two-day National Inter-disciplinary Traffic Incident Management Train the Trainer Workshop in Nashville.
11/24/2014	Staff participated in a conference call with the National Weather Service at the Rutherford County EOC.
11/25/2014	Staff participated in a conference call with a vendor regarding communications at the Rutherford County EOC.
11/25/2014	Staff attended the monthly Staff Call Meeting with the Deputy Mayor in Murfreesboro.
12/1/2014	Staff participated in a conference call with the National Weather Service at the Rutherford County EOC.
12/1/2014	Staff taught Haz-mat Awareness at the APCO Class at the 911 Building In Murfreesboro.
12/1/2014	Staff met with a vendor regarding communications project at the Rutherford County EOC.
12/2/2014	Staff participated in the monthly TEMA Communications Check at the Rutherford County EOC.
12/2/2014	Staff participated in a conference call with a vendor regarding communications at the Rutherford County EOC.
12/2/2014	Staff attended the Smyrna Prepareathon meeting in Smyrna.
12/3/2014	Staff met with the Sheriff's Office regarding Communications in Murfreesboro.
12/4/2014	Staff hosted and attended TEMA's Middle Tennessee Regional Director's Meeting in Murfreesboro.
12/8/2014	Staff participated in a conference call with the National Weather Service at the Rutherford County EOC.
12/8/2014	Staff attended the Ready Ops Meeting at the 911 Building in Murfreesboro.
12/8/2014	Staff attended a meeting with Murfreesboro Fire and TEMA in Murfreesboro.
12/9/2014	Staff participated in a conference call with a vendor regarding communications at the Rutherford County EOC.
12/11/2014	Staff met with a Sheriff's Office SRO at Brown's Chapel in Smyrna.
12/15/2014	Staff participated in a conference call with the National Weather Service at the Rutherford County EOC.
12/15/2014	Staff attended In-Service at the Sheriff's Office in Murfreesboro.

The staff is working on the 2013 and 2014 Homeland Security Grants. We are working with other emergency departments throughout the county on setting up classes and other training.



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### **Tower Project Update:**

All configuration has been completed by Motorola.  
Turn up continues for first five tower sites.

### **Expect 2013 Homeland Security Grant to be settled by end of December:**

We are waiting on a P. O. on overpacks. We have placed orders for several items, and we are waiting on the arrival of them. Once all items are received, we can close all P. O.s out and request a final reimbursement.

This grant does not expire until April 30, 2015. Anticipate only \$35.57 will not be spent.

Continue planning with the Town of Smyrna for their Prepareathon March 16-21,  
<http://www.community.fema.gov/connect.ti/AmericasPrepareathon/view?objectId=3222352&exp=e1>.

### **Upcoming Events:**

1/6 TEMA Comms Exercise/Check  
1/12-1/15 Homeland Security District Workshop

### **Response:**

### **Recovery:**